GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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ALLOTMENT OF KEROSENE TO PRINTING INDUSTRY
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether Government has received any request/proposal from the Government of Tamil Nadu regarding allotment of special quota of kerosene to printing industry;

(b) if so, the details thereof; and

(c) the action taken by the Government thereon?

Answer

MINISTER OF PETROLEUM & NATURAL GAS & PANCHAYATI RAJ (SHRI MANI SHANKAR AIYAR)

(a) to (c) : No proposal has been received from the Government of Tamilnadu regarding the allotment of a special quota of kerosene for the Printing Industry. However, Shri A. Ravichandran, Hon'ble M.P. has written to the Minister (P&NG) in July 2005 stating that there is a shortage of kerosene for the printing industry in Sivakasi as the dealers are not getting sufficient stocks for supply. The matter is being looked into.